GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

HM & FW Department – Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District - Departmental Proceedings under rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 on certain allegations - Articles of charges – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.II.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.263 **Dated:16.03.2024.**

Read the following:-

1. Govt.memo.No.3412/VC.2.1/2006-08, Dated.30.09.2015.
2. From the Director of Public Health, AP, Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.1605/ VC.I.B/2006, dt.14.10.2015.
3. DO Letter 3412/VC.II.1/2006-09, dt. 04.07.2016.
4. Representation from Dr A Rama Rao, Medical Superintendent enclosing a letter from DPH&FW Lr. No. 1605/VC-IB/2006, dt.30.06.2023.
5. Govt. memo. PHFW0DPH(VDIS)/ 30/VC.II.1/2023-10, dt. 01.08.2023.
6. Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, AP., Vijayawada Rc.No.1605/VC I B/2006, dt.19.10.2023.
7. G.O.Rt.No.262, HM & FW (VC.II.1) Department, Dated.16.03.2024.

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O R D E R:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District in accordance with the procedure laid down under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputation of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I & II). A list of documents by which and a list of witness by whom the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed in (Annexure-III & IV).

3. Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District is directed to submit his written statement of defence within (15) days of the receipt of this order.

4. Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charge not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny the article of charge.

5. Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District is further informed that if she does not submit his Written Statement of Defence on or before the date specified in Para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. The attention Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District is invited to rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government servant shall bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings. It will be presumed that he is aware of such representation and that it has been made at her instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. MANJULA D HOSMANI
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District **through** the Director of Public Health and Family Welfare, AP, Vijayawada.
The Director of Public Health and Family Welfare, AP, Vijayawada.
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ANNEXURE- I

ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST Dr. A. RAMA RAO, THE THEN MEDICAL OFFICER, PHC, KANKIPADU, KRISHNA DISTRICT

ARTICLE-1:-

That Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District has indulged in irregularities to drawn the wages of the Contract MPHA (M) and Sri K. Rajendraprasad, Sri. V. Sridhara Kumar, Sri. B. Narayana Rao, Sri. K. Prasada Rao, Sri D.B. Praveen Babu from 17.06.2004 to 28.09.2004 though they have not worked during the period, which is an irregularity.

ARTICLE-2:-

That Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District was not able to perform his duties properly due to which Smt. K. Jamalamma, Previous Pharmacist suffered by withholding of half day salary on 16.07.2003 and increments due on 8/03 and 8/04 Which is an irregularity.

ARTICLE-3:-

That Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District has not followed the procedure in granting the half day leave and periodical increments, which are not released and due on 01.08.2003 and 01.08.2004, as the leave granting authority is the District Medical & Health Officer, Krishna District, Machilipatnam and he released the increments and arrears which is an irregularity.

ARTICLE-4:-

That Dr. A. Rama Rao, the then Medical Officer, PHC, Kankipadu, Krishna District was not able to perform his duties properly and not maintained list of Sukhibhava and J.S.Y. beneficiaries and he failed to supervise the cash books, log books, tour dairy and T.A. Claims and to maintain separate accounts for C.S.S., Sukhibhava, and J.S.Y. etc. which is irregularity.

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ANNEXURE- II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT AND MISBEHAVIOUR IN SUPPORT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST Dr .A. RAMA RAO, THE THEN MEDICAL OFFICER, PHC, KANKIPADU, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

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The Additional District Medical & Health Officer, Krishna after conducting enquiry on certain allegations by Dr M Aruna CAS, submitted report wherein the EO has observed the following points in his Inquiry Report that the wages of the Contract staff from 17.06.04 to 28.09.04 were drawn though they were not worked during the period. Half day salary was withheld on 16.07.03 and increments due on 8/03 and 8/04 with respect to Smt.K.Jamalamma, previous Pharmacist and subsequently issued without following the procedure prescribed. Copies of charge lists of Sr.Ch.Umamaheswara Rao, Sri.P.Ratnakara Rao, and Sri.B.Madhusudhana Rao were not produced. Acquaintance registers of sukhibhava were not produced. Cash book was not properly maintained. Sri.B.Venkateswara Rao, Attender not discharged his duties as Attender, often he has attended "Treasury Work" at Machilipatnam. Not opened separate accounts for CSS sukhibhava, J.S.Y. etc., as per the guidelines of the Government.

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Hence the charge.

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ANNEXURE- III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST Dr. A. RAMA RAO, THE THEN MEDICAL OFFICER, PHC, KANKIPADU, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

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Rc.No.Spl/ADM&HO/2006, dated .08.2006 from the Additional District Medical & Health Officer, Krishna, Machilipatnam.

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ANNEXURE- IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST Dr. A. RAMA RAO, THE THEN MEDICAL OFFICER, PHC, KANKIPADU, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

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1.Rc.No.Spl/ADM&HO/2006, dated: .08.2006 from the Additional District Medical & Health Officer, Krishna, Machilipatnam.

2.Govt.Memo.No.3412/VC.II.1/2006-07, HM&FW(VC.II.1) Department.

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